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Vote for John H. Aitkin and you will know that you assure the administration of the state treasurer's office in a thoroughly honest, business-like way.

Owing to his clean business record, the Republican press of almost the entire state are strongly advocating Mr. Aitkin's candidacy. Among the number are the following: Labor Press, Portland; Eugene Register, Eugene; Albany Herald, Albany; the Journal, Salem; the Coast Mail, Marshfield; Baker City Herald, Baker City; the Observer, La Grande; the Tribune, Pendleton; the Chronicle, The Dalles; the Argus, Ontario; the News, Eagle Valley; Blue Mountain Eagle, Canyon City; the Gem, Granite; the Review, Prineville; the Oriano, Vale; the Gazette, Vale; the Gazette, Heppner; the Times, Heppner; the Chieftain, Enterprise; the Oregon Scout, Union; the Republican, Union; the Herald, Joseph; the News, John Day; the Wheatfield, Lexington; the Nes, North Powder; the Blue Mountain American, Sumpter; the Globe, Condon; the Times, Condon; the Record, Arlington; the Recorder, Haines; the Irrigator, Irigoin; the News, Burns; the Searchlight, Burns; the News, Walla; the Eagle, Milton; the Ranger, Long Creek; the Criterion, Lebanon; the Umpqua Valley News, Roseburg; the Observer, Grants Pass; the Glacier, Hood River; the Itemizer, Dallas; the Nonpareil, Drain; the Owl, Oakland; the Sentinel, Coquille City; the Enterprise, Myrtle Point; the Daily News, Newport; the Despatch, Dufur; the Independent, Woodburn; the Southern Oregon Independent, Medford; the Appeal, Silverton; the Republican, Shaniko; the Globe, Gold Beach; the Aurora Borealis, Aurora; the Headlight, Tillamook; the Observer, Moro; the Recorder, Elgin; the Times, Brownsville; the Bohemian Nugget, Cottage Grove; the News, Glendale.

The people want and will nominate John H. Aitkin for state treasurer.

CHEAT RAILROADS.

CHICAGO, April 17.—The Tribune today says:

Railroad officials openly charge that the big packing corporations for years have been cheating the railroads by mis-stating the character of the goods they were shipping and by shipping heavier packages than the bills of lading called for.

Other big shippers in the east also are doing things that have helped to diminish the revenues which the railroads ought to have received. It has been estimated by the railroads that the packers alone beat the eastern roads out of \$150,000 a year.

What they owe all the roads out of Chicago is problematical, but it is estimated at \$5,000,000. The railway men say they have known all these things for years and in a way have remonstrated with the packers and other companies which were cheating them, but within the last few weeks they have made a determined effort to bring about a great reform and they intimate strongly that unless the shippers make restitution there will be a grand expose before the interstate commerce commission.

ERECT MONUMENT

Monument to Be Erected for Actor Booth.

MOVEMENT IS UNDERWAY

Players Club in New York Starts Movement to Perpetuate the Memory of the Great Actor, Edwin Booth.

NEW YORK, April 17.—A movement was begun yesterday at a meeting of the Players' Club for the erection of a monumental memorial to Edwin Booth. It is now thirteen years since the great actor died. The project was set forth in an address by David A. Monroe, Bronson Howard also spoke. It was unanimously voted that a committee of one hundred be appointed to take the movement in charge and carry it to a conclusion. This committee will soon be organized and an executive committee will be named to manage the details.

Among the members present yesterday were Francis Wilson, David Warfield, John Blair, Barton Hill, Albert Bruning, J. H. Deurimo, Daniel Frohman, John W. Albough, Willard L. Metcalf, Everett J. Wendell, Thomas J. Hallowell Jr., E. M. Welsh, Raymond Hitchcock and Charles H. Gennung.

This letter was read from Mrs. Ignatius Grossmann, the daughter of Edwin Booth:

"Mrs. Grossmann having been apprized of the generous project on the part of the Players' Club to erect a statue in memory of her beloved father, Edwin Booth, begs to express her deep appreciation and to assure the players of her sympathy and approval of their really noble effort to thus commemorate her father's achievement, as well as his personal virtues. Mrs. Grossmann hopes that the players may meet with success their worthy undertaking merits."

Though no especial efforts had been made before yesterday's meeting, nearly \$6000 has already been subscribed toward a Booth memorial. The form with which the memorial shall take has not been determined. Various plans have been suggested. The one that appears to find most favor so far is that the monument whatever it may be, shall be erected in Grammercy square, within the park, or possibly set into the park fence, so as to face the Players' Club, of which Edwin Booth was the founder and to look, in fact, upon the very windows behind which the great tragedian breathed his last.

WARRENTON NOTES.

Items of Interest From Busy Town of Warrenton.

WARRENTON, April 17.—The office of the Old Oregon Mills is receiving a coat of paint, inside and outside; white, with terra cotta trimmings, and it presents a very neat appearance.

G. W. Warren and wife returned from an extended visit to California on Friday.

Warrenton is visited daily by some of the candidates at the near primary election.

Jas. W. Welch was calling on friends here Sunday.

T. S. Jewett is laid up with an attack of erysipelas.

C. W. Loughery was in town last week registering voters.

F. M. Warren came home from his logging camp to spend Easter Sunday with his family.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

MOBILE, Ala., April 17.—The plant of the Vinegar Bend Lumber Company at Vinegar Bend, 45 miles north of Mobile, was destroyed by fire last night. Loss, \$100,000. The Mobile Fire department sent assistance.

PERSONAL MENTION.

M. L. Cox of Ilwaco spent yesterday in the city.

R. C. Bell of Portland arrived in the city for a brief visit.

Otto Radusah of St. Paul was in town yesterday on business.

G. E. Yancey of Philadelphia is in the city this week on business.

C. H. Lewis of Portland was in town yesterday for a short business trip.

Henry Girtz, a resident of Portland, is in the city for a brief time this week.

Mrs. B. S. Worsley of Svensen spent yesterday in the city on a shopping trip.

J. E. O'Brien of the Bay City spent yesterday in the city transacting business.

George Simpson of Elsie arrived in Astoria yesterday to work during the fishing season.

H. R. Knuss of San Francisco was a business visitor in the city yesterday for a brief time.

R. M. Woodin, a well known rancher of Nehalem was in Astoria yesterday for a short time.

C. P. Shea, a resident of the metropolis was in the city yesterday for a short business trip.

Miss Mary McRae arrived in the city yesterday from her home in Ilwaco for a short visit with friends.

S. S. Smith left yesterday morning for California where he will remain for some time in the hope of benefiting his health.

Charles Gray, a brother of Harry Gray, arrived from Pendleton on the noon express yesterday for a few days stay in the City-by-the-Sea.

A. E. West of Salem, the brother of State Land Agent Oswald West, is in the city on a matter of business. Mr. West intimated yesterday that he may become a citizen of this section before many weeks pass.

Warrenton Item.—W. J. Ingalls procured Warren's Hall at Warrenton on Monday evening in order to talk to the voters, and the would-be voters. The hall was crowded to the doors, although Mr. Ingalls is not an orator, or a fluent or flowery speaker, he expressed himself well and told facts as he knew them and produced documentary evidence in many statements he made regarding the expenditure of the people's good money.

STORK'S ARRIVAL.

Last night a son was born to the wife of Charles Heilborn of this city. All are reported to be doing well.

DIES SUDDENLY.

At 2:15 o'clock this morning a man by the name of Vanslyke died suddenly of Bright's Disease at the Central Hotel. The deceased was aged about 45 years, and had been treated at the hospital in this city for a few weeks. Nothing is known of his antecedents, though it is stated that he came to this city from Niagara Falls.

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